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Request for Comments on the Revised Baseline Risk Assessment Report for the Dayco Corp./ L. E. Carpenter Co. Site in Wharton, NJ

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EPA has received yet another revised baseline risk assessment report for the above-referenced site. This latest draft is dated January 1992. Mark Maddaloni of your staff has reviewed and commented on three prior drafts. Mr. Maddaloni has also discussed some of his comments with representatives of Weston Services, Inc., who worked on the revised document.

The purpose of this memorandum is to request comments from your section on the revised document. While a comprehensive review of the document isn't needed (NJDEPE is the lead agency for this site), there may be some areas of importance (e.g., problem areas identified in the past comments and discussions) that should be examined. Because of Mr. Maddaloni's past involvement, I am sending directly to him a copy of this memo together with a copy of the Revised Baseline Risk Assessment Report.

I expect that NJDEPE will soon be setting the due date for comments on this report. I will provide further information on the review schedule as I receive it.

I look forward to receiving your section's comments on the revised risk assessment.

Please contact me at extension 4-8098 if there is a need to discuss this matter.

cc: Mark Maddaloni, PSB (with report)

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